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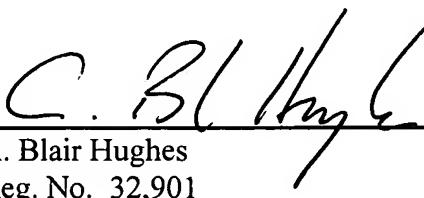
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**REPLY TO DECEMBER 2, 2004 OFFICIAL ACTION**

Sir:

This is a Reply to the December 2, 2004 non-final action for the above-identified U.S. patent application.

The status of the claims are reflected in the **Listing Of The Claims** that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.

**Appendix A** including a copy of a Terminal Disclaimer related to U.S. patent no. 6,617,328 follows page 5 of this paper.